

Senate File 2258

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1 Amend Senate File 2258, as amended, passed, and
2 reprinted by the Senate, as follows:

3 1. Page 11, after line 27 by inserting:

4 <Sec. _____. DRUG ENDANGERED CHILDREN WORKGROUP.

5 1. The governor's office of drug control policy
6 shall convene a stakeholder workgroup to meet during
7 the 2016 legislative interim to examine issues and
8 develop policy recommendations relating to the
9 protection and safety of drug endangered children for
10 purposes of child in need of assistance and child abuse
11 proceedings. The workgroup shall request relevant
12 data and outcome measures relating to drug endangered
13 children from workgroup member organizations and from
14 state departments and agencies, including but not
15 limited to the departments of human services and public
16 safety, the juvenile court, the judicial branch, and
17 other appropriate organizations. The workgroup shall
18 comprehensively review and analyze such information and
19 propose a statutory definition of a drug endangered
20 child for purposes of child in need of assistance and
21 child abuse proceedings.

22 2. The workgroup shall be composed of all of the
23 following members:

24 a. Four members of the general assembly appointed
25 to serve in an ex officio, nonvoting capacity. The
26 legislative members shall be selected, one member each,
27 by the majority leader of the senate, the minority
28 leader of the senate, the speaker of the house of
29 representatives, and the minority leader of the house
30 of representatives.

31 b. Fifteen voting members to include all of the
32 following:

33 (1) One representative from each of the following:

34 (a) The division of criminal and juvenile justice
35 planning in the department of human rights.

- 1 (b) The department of human services.
2 (c) The child advocacy board.
3 (d) The department of justice.
4 (e) The judicial branch.
5 (f) The governor's office of drug control policy.
6 (g) The Iowa alliance for drug endangered children.
7 (h) The Iowa county attorneys association.
8 (i) The Iowa state sheriffs' and deputies'
9 association.
10 (j) A child welfare service provider group.
11 (k) A health care provider group.
12 (l) A mental health care provider group.
13 (m) A substance abuse provider group.
14 (n) A peace officer group.
15 (2) A child abuse prevention advocate.
16 3. The workgroup shall meet up to two times during
17 the 2016 legislative interim and shall submit findings
18 and recommendations in a report to the general assembly
19 by December 15, 2016.
20 4. If possible, organizations participating in
21 the workgroup shall absorb costs associated with the
22 workgroup. The governor's office of drug control
23 policy shall pay other costs associated with the
24 workgroup, not to exceed one thousand dollars, from the
25 operating budget of the office.>
26 2. By renumbering as necessary.

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